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**LACOMBE, May 30th, 1917**

Bulls Judged at 10 a.m., sale commences at 1:30 p.m.

Reduced passenger rates good May 29th and 30th, and to return May 31st, from C.P.R. Stations between Calgary and Edmonton, Hardisty on the Wetaskiwin Branch, and Major on the Lacombe branch.

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## Local and General:

Miss Gesner journeyed to Edmonton on Friday afternoon last, returning on Monday evening.

The Prize List for this year's fair is near completion and will be ready for distribution in a few days.

J. R. Gilchrist, our local station agent, who has been sick now for a time, took a change for the worse on Thursday last week, and it was deemed advisable to send him to Calgary. He was conveyed there on Thursday night's train. We are glad to hear that he is improving, and it is hoped he will soon be able to return home again.

Mrs. E. S. McRory was a visitor to town on Friday last, Mr. and Mrs. W. McRory made the return journey with her, Earle bringing them back in his car Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Halliday and Mr. and Mrs. Dungan journeyed to the city by car on Monday afternoon to take in the great Photo Play "Intolerance," shown at the Grand.

Church of the Ascension. — Sunday next, May 13th.

Sunday School at 10 a.m. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 a.m.

The Annual Meeting of the W.A. of the Church of the Ascension for the election of officers and business will be held at the home of Mrs. Bray, on Saturday afternoon, May the 12th, at 3 o'clock sharp.

All members and church ladies please attend.

We are informed that Miss Armstrong has been appointed telephone agent for Crossfield. In a short time we are to have a continuous service in this district.

Mothers' Day.—Sunday, May 13, has been set apart throughout the Dominion of Canada as "Mothers' Day." The service in the Union Church on Sunday evening will be in honor of our Mothers.

Any person who is unable to attend the Whist Drive on Friday night may hand in their subscriptions to Mr. Merrick Thomas, Secretary, as the subscriptions will not be sent away for a few days in order to allow all who wish to help in this worthy cause a chance to do so.

Next week we are giving out a 12 column supplement of an Official resume of the Acts enacted at recent session of Legislative Assembly, by J. D. Hunt, B.A., Clerk of the Legislative Council, so that everyone can easily understand changes made in old Acts and scope of new legislation. If the sheet is kept for future reference it may save trouble at some time.

Last Sunday afternoon a number of the members of the local Odd-Fellows lodge and their friends to the tune of 50 visited Airline on the occasion of their Anniversary. The Rev. H. M. Horricks conducted the service, and the Crossfield Orchestra contributed to the musical portion. The Crossfield Woodmen's Band was also in attendance. 15 cars conveyed those going from Crossfield.

## Crockery:--

We have a fine assortment of Dishes that will please you. Either in Plain or Fancy China

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If you require anything in this line we have it.

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For Sale.—Eggs for Hatching, Buff Orpington, \$1.50 per 15. \$7.00 per 100. Mrs. John Granley.

Strayed from Sec. 25, 28, 29; w. 4, one Cow, branded **h** left shoulder

Reward for information. Thos. Fitzgerald.

For Sale.—Pony Mare, foal, 8 years old; Team of Geldings, weight 3,200 lbs.; 6 and 8 years old; Two good Milk Cows; One Gobbler, and five hen Turkeys, also one Gander and two Sheep, 1 in lamb. A. S. Smith.

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Crossfield District Co-operative Assn. U.F.A., Ltd.

For Sale.—Eggs for Hatching, Barred Plymouth Rocks, \$1.50 for 15; \$7.00 per 100. Jos. Cressman.

Wanted.—A Woman Caretaker, for the U.F.A. Ladies' Rest Room at Crossfield to attend to the opening and closing of door, morning and evening, and sweep room every day. State wages. Apply to Mrs. Miller, Sec.-Treas., Rodney U.F.W.A., R.R. No. 1, Crossfield.

For Sale.—Seed Potatoes, Wee McGregor's, \$1.50 per bushel.

Apply E. D. High.

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## MOTHERS' DAY

The Second Sunday in May is known all over Canada as "Mothers' Day."

Therefore let every loyal son write to his Mother, if she is dead wear a white Carnation.

H. R. ARNOLD,

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ROBERT WHITEFIELD,  
Printer and Publisher.

CROSSFIELD, Alberta, May 11, 1917.

## Calgary Officer Mentioned as O.C. of 49th Battalion

Lieut. M. L. Boyle, M.C.,  
Brother of Late Lieut.-Col.  
Boyle, Given Majority  
on the Field

Another Albertan has made good on the field of battle. According to recent advices received from overseas, Lieut. Mahlon L. Boyle has been granted his majority on the field and is now mentioned in military circles as being slated for a lieutenant colonelcy, rumor coupling his name with that of the 49th battalion, one of the first units to go overseas from Edmonton and through which hundreds of Alberta men have passed since. Major Boyle who formerly lived in Crossfield, enlisted as a private in the 50th Battalion under Lieut.-Col. E. G. Mason and has won his promotion from corporal to major on the field, which is considered a remarkable achievement. He was decorated after the Somme with the Military Cross, being also wounded then, he enjoys the same popularity in his regiment which was held by his elder brother, the late Lieut.-Col. Russell Boyle, of the Fighting Tenth, who lost his life at St. Julien, and enjoys the reputation of being the biggest man physically, in the battalion.

Major Boyle was transferred to the 49th from the 50th and a number of Alberta officers who also served in that unit are now in the city including Major J. S. Willison, Major Daniels, Major Hardisty, Captain O. V. Macdonald, Captain Fitzsimmons, while Captain Bob Pearson of Calgary, was also on the staff.

—Morning Albertian.

## The Alberta Cattle Breeders' Sale at Lacombe

The stock men of Alberta will have another splendid opportunity to purchase purebred beef bulls at the annual auction sale to be held by the Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association at Lacombe, on May 30th. At that sale there will be 55 Shorthorns, 15 Aberdeen Angus and 22 Herefords offered. Special railroad rates have been arranged from C.P.R. points to Lacombe between Edmonton and Calgary, and from as far as Hardisty on the Wetaskiwin branch and Major on the Lacombe branch. The tickets will be good going May 26th and 30th, returning up to May 31st. The transportation on bulls purchased at the sale is paid to the sale is paid to the purchaser's nearest station for a nominal fee, and the bulls are loaded on the cars by sellers. At these sales the buyers are able to inspect a large number of bulls without unnecessary time and expense, and the price is set by open bidding, according to the quality of each bull. The Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association has now sold 4,244 bulls for \$650,008, and the recent sale held by the Association at Calgary of 470 bulls for \$130,821 constituted a record for any such sale held on the American continent.

Farmers insure your Buildings in the Wawanesa Mutual Fire Insurance Co. A Company of the Farmers and for the Farmers only. Costs only about 35 cents a year for \$100 Insurance.

Chas. Hultgren, Agent.

## Union Sunday School

The annual meeting of the Board of Management of the Crossfield Union Church Sunday School was held on Tuesday evening, May 8th. The following business was transacted: The financial report showing a balance of \$31.00 on hand, was read and adopted. The annual contribution of the school to missions amounted to \$25.00. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Superintendent, Mr. A. R. Thomas; Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. H. M. Horricks; Secretary, Miss Marie Outkes; Treasurer, Mr. Walter Colling; Supt. Cradle Roll, Miss Mary Potter. The following teachers were appointed: Boys class 1, Mr. A. Knox; boys class 2, Mrs. McLamm; boys class 3, Mr. Bradley. Girls class 1, Miss Annie Fraser; girls class 2, Mrs. Kikely. The organized class to appoint their own officers and teachers.

## BELGIAN WHIST PARTY

## A Special Appeal

Is being made for the  
Belgian Relief Fund  
ON  
Friday, May 11th, 1917

A Whist Drive will be given that evening in the BUILDING NEXT TO THE POST OFFICE.

Voluntary Donations will be  
received at the door.

Everyone is most urgently requested  
to come and help in this most  
needy cause.

REFRESHMENTS will be served  
during the evening and every  
effort will be made to insure this  
a great success.

COMMITTEE:  
MRS. HALLIDAY,  
" WILL LAUT,  
" MCINTOSH,  
MR. W. MCROBY,  
" S. H. BRAY,  
" C. WICKS.

[Copy] Certified copy of Pedigree  
Recorded in the Clydesdale Stud Book of  
Canada.

## CYMRO [13515]

Light Bay, face and legs white, foaled  
June 15th, 1911, bred by F. M. Brett and  
Sons Regina, Sask., foaled the property  
of P. G. Swann, Crossfield, Alta.

SIRE: Trojan (imp) [8316] (13022)  
DAM: Belle Sirdar [8677]

This is to certify that the above pedigree  
is on record in volume 21.

Approved W. A. Clemens, for Minister of  
Agriculture.

B. E. Martinette, pro Registrar,  
Ottawa, Canada, April 29th, 1912.

Government of the Province of Alberta  
Department of Agriculture

No. 1908

CERTIFICATE OF PURE BRED  
STALLION

The Pedigree of the Stallion CYMRO  
[13515]

Has been examined in the department  
and I hereby certify that the said stallion  
is of pure breeding, and is registered in a  
stud book recognized by the department.

Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 14th  
day of May, 1914.

G. F. Bortenschaw,  
Acting Deputy Minister of  
Agriculture.

This Stallion will be travelling for service  
after the 15th of May.

Terms: \$12.00 to insure, \$2.00 at time of  
service and \$10.00 when mare is shown  
to be in foal.

J. McFADYEN, Owner.

## Farm Lands.

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Now is the opportune time. Large sectional  
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Postpaid One Dollar.  
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## Lodge Cards

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No.  43

Meets Every Wednesday Night in the  
Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.  
Visiting Brethren Welcome.  
Dr. WILLIAMS, N. G.  
S. WILLIS, Sec.-Secy.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above  
school Board will be held at the School  
House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday  
in the following months: January, March  
May, July, September and November.  
All matters of business pertaining to  
this district will be attended to at this  
meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is at the  
Crossfield Drug Store.

A. R. Thomas, Chairman,  
Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

## Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield  
will meet in the Council Chamber over  
Fire Hall on the first Monday of each  
month, commencing with February at  
the hour of 4 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.  
St-52- W. McIlroy, Sec.-Treas.



## Canadian Reserve Militia.

### COMPANY ORDERS

By CAPE. A. A. HALL.

DRILL. Until further orders the Com-  
pany will parade at the Old-  
Fellows Hall every Monday and  
Thursday, at 7 p.m. for Drill.

ATTENTION. All members who have  
not yet attested may do so at any  
time by calling on the Adjutant  
at the Post Office, who now has  
the authority to administer the  
oath.

RECRUITS. It is requested that all mem-  
bers do their best to encourage  
their male friends to join up.

W. J. DEEVES,  
Adjutant.

March 29th, 1917.

## Drumsheugh

[9472]

### Bay Clydesdale

No. 967. Department of Agriculture  
Government of the Province of Alberta.

Copy of Certificate of Pure Bred Stallion  
[The Horse Breeders' Ordinance N.W.  
Territories, chapter 25, 1905.]

The pedigree of the Stallion Drumsheugh  
described as follows:-

Bred: CLYDESDALE. Color: BAY.  
Marks: Stripe, near front foot and  
outside of near hind foot White.

Foaled in the year 1907.

Has been examined by this department,  
and I hereby certify that the said Stallion  
is of pure breeding and is registered in a  
stud book recognized by the department.

Dated at Edmonton this Seventh day of  
May, 1910.

GEO. HARCOURT,  
Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

Will stand at his own stables for  
Season 1917.

Terms: \$12.00 to insure mare in foal,  
\$2 down if mare is worked. Any person  
disposing of mare before foaling time  
must pay fee at once or prove that mare  
is not in foal. Mares taken at owners  
risk.

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## Flying To-day Is Too Easy

Half of the Accidents are the Result of too Much Assurance

Flying has become so easy that it is no longer a feat that one should take it up as a means of travel and recreation, according to General U. S. Bracker, Director of Air Organization for the British army.

"Flying today is so easy," said General Bracker, "that most pupils are in danger from over-confidence. Half our accidents arise from over-caution. Training in aviation from the military point of view is getting more and more complicated, but actual flying from the practical point of view of getting from place to place has become almost as easy and safe as automobiling or bicycling."

"People generally ought to learn the elementary principles of handling an airplane. They ought to know the general private use of airplanes, especially in Great Britain, is the uncertainty of the weather, but with experience and reliable engines it is possible to fly in almost any weather short of a thick fog, a hurricane, or a violent thunderstorm."

General Bracker foresees the development of more and better quality instructors, more powerful engines, and slower and more deliberate training after the stress of war is over. "At present," he said, "there is of necessity a good deal of undue haste. The supply of aviators is forever trying to keep up with demand, and the demand is forever increasing, both in numbers and quality."

Asked whether any ordinary person could become a really good airplane pilot, General Bracker said: "The most unexpected thing is that good pilots, and very often the most promising ones never attain more than mediocre in the air. They are men with sound nerves—and women too—for that matter—can make a good, useful pilot, but they are not the exceptional individual who will make the really brilliant fighting pilot. Even the physically weaker, but with a good pilot, like the late Lord Lucas, who had a wooden leg."

"As for the best age for training in flying, I think they should begin as young as possible. Generally speaking, rightness is rather young for the great strain of aviation, and I prefer a man of twenty or twenty-five for army aviation work. A man of thirty is a very good pilot who has lived a hard life and is a good horseman will probably develop into a good pilot quite early. I have known 25 to 30 who have spent his life in an office or in doing nothing, but as a rule the older man has more of the strain of active service as long as the young man."

"The quality of horsemanship is a useful one in any would-be aviator. The requirements are for the same good hands, a good head, steady nerves, and judgment. Flying is much less a matter of riding, because one sits in a comfortable armchair in a quiet machine."

No national temperament is so well suited to flying as the British, in General Bracker's opinion. "The Englishman may be conservative," he remarked, "but he is certainly the finest airplane pilot in the world. The old British characteristics which make us masters of the sea are intensified in the air, in spite of our politics and our system of government and all the other things that tend to progress, which will assuredly spring up as soon as peace is declared."

Turning to the question of casualties in airplane training he said: "A good many deaths are reported in the papers, but when compared with the numbers in training and the number of hours the air accomplished every day, the price is not great, and in the present stage of aviation the fact must be feared that the progress cannot be made without a certain cost in human life. The extraordinarily few cases of breakage in the air speak well of British construction and inspection. The most common cause of accidents is engine failure, followed by the engine going too sharply into a possible landing place and losing speed on the turn, which results in a nose landing. Good and experienced pilots are prone to do this, and the only cure appears to be the avoidance of engine failure. This will come in peace, when we can devote more energy towards real reliability in the engine and towards extreme lightness and exaggerated performance."

### A Dipped Calling

A writer has been telling a story of the estimation in which fishing was held only twenty-five years ago, by a large part of the population. It was in Scotland, where Mr. Scott Skiving was enjoying a trip on one of the Clyde steamers. A man on the deck insisted on repeating to a crowd of inattentive passengers. "It's a fair world this, a fair world," I asked him, Mr. Skiving says, what he meant by it? Whereupon he replied, "Well, it's a fair world as a plumber," then suddenly adding, "That's yer trader." "What's yer trader?" I replied. "Gies yer hand," he answered. "I'm for a seampipe. We built belong to a plumb-calling."—London Morning Post.

## Stormy Times in Abyssinia

Pro-Turkish Emperor of Abyssinia Deported in Favor of Menelik's Daughter

"Abyssinia has been having a stormy time since the death of Emperor Menelik. In the past few months the new emperor has been deposed; civil war has broken out; several battles have been fought between the factions, in one of which 25,000 men were killed. The new ruler is Empress Zauditu, a daughter of Menelik. The account of happenings in Abyssinia has reached London from Europeans living in the capital, Addis Ababa. One letter says: "Lidi, Jesus, the young emperor who succeeded his grandfather, Menelik, had gradually come under Turkish influence and had in many ways offended the Christian population. The legations of the Entente powers in September sent a joint protest and this was followed a few days later, by a meeting of the ministry which declared the emperor deposed and enthroned in his place the Princess Zauditu, with Ras Tafari as regent and help to the throne."

"There were quiet for a few weeks while the deposed emperor's party was gathering strength. Then Mikael, ruler of Wollo, the most powerful chief in the country, deposed the emperor and marched against Abeto. The first battle was fought, but the distance between the capital and the government army of 10,000 men, under Ras Selasse, was so great that the emperor's army was utterly annihilated and Selasse killed."

"There was a good deal of excitement in the capital, and the legations prepared for attack, but the emperor was slow in appearing and the new emperor had time to mobilize a strong army which under the personal command of the war minister, met the enemy on October 27. The battle was a grand victory and the emperor's army had ten thousand killed out of fifty thousand engaged. While the emperor's side had to have lost fifteen thousand killed."

"The sound of fighting was primitive. At first they fired with rifles, but, becoming tired of this, they threw their weapons aside and dashed at one another with scimitars and spears."

"There was great rejoicing in Addis Ababa over the outcome of the battle, and on the return of the victors a grand review was held by the emperor in person. "Each chief rode at the head of his army, and as he approached the emperor, he dismounted, drew his sword and danced about her, shouting the deeds he had done. This was repeated until the chief became exhausted when he prostrated himself and withdrew."

**Another Literary Effort**  
Crown Prince Quits Fighting For Writing  
The German Crown Prince has been invalided to Potsdam, according to the latest report from a neutral source, and is there employing his enforced leisure in composing a book on the war.

It is said that this is the Prince's third venture into authorship. The first was his "Hunting Diary" of 1910, in which he gave his own experiences at shooting parties in Scotland, Germany, Austria, India, and Ceylon. The second was his "The German in Arms," of 1913, in which, although the Kaiser personally read the proofs, he committed an indiscretion on almost every page.

On this book, the future booster of the fall of Verdun, posed as the Apostle of the Sword, and his motto was "The world does not give us safety on the shoulders of Atlas than does Germany on her army and navy."

He repeatedly laid stress on the power and influence of the sword, and he declared that "though the whole world be full of devils, though all other nations rise in arms against us, we shall triumph over them. One of the problems of his book will be to explain "My Failure at Verdun."

### Value of Farm Land

Census Office Issues Interesting Report on Farm Values  
Statistics provided by the census office at Ottawa place the average value of farm lands held for agricultural purposes in the Dominion, and including the value of buildings, at \$41 per acre, as compared with \$40 last year.

The British Columbia lands are valued highest at \$118; land in Ontario and Quebec, \$52; Saskatchewan, \$23, and Alberta, \$22; Manitoba, \$32.

Average monthly wages for farm help, including board, were \$42.25 for male and \$22.40 for female, as against \$37.10 and \$20.20 for 1915. The average value of farm lands in Canada is about the same as 1915, with a substantial increase in the value of other animals. The value of farm animals in Canada is \$798,544,000, as compared with \$746,000,000 in 1915.

She—Can a man tell when a woman is lying?  
He—He can, but he ought not to.

## Britain's Financial Achievements

What Counts in the Long Run More Than a Standing Army

More and more do the astounding financial operations of England stagger the human mind. Upon the dizzy heights of the London Stock Exchange, the debt that country swiftly and with apparent ease places another three and a half billion pounds on the past has witnessed nothing in the past like these stupendous loans. In a day Great Britain floats a larger debt than the total debt of the United States at the close of our "four years" civil war. In a day the people purchase as great a bulk of debt as England's debt was when its present awful war began. There seems to be no bottom to the British purse, and the mighty war loans three and a half billion pounds in the past about his country's fathomless wealth.

England's navy and England's credit are today the two greatest factors which Germany's army has failed to reach. Whatever else has failed, the financing of the war for the Allies. Our country has double the wealth of Great Britain, although we have not double the marketable wealth which she had at the outbreak of the war. England was fortified with an over-powdering of the world's resources of other countries, and these have been of immense value. She has been able to market billions of the United States besides having the ability to borrow more. But the United States supply from the world's greatest granary, the world's vastest fuel and iron supplies, the world's largest source of cotton, more gold than any other nation, and the world's largest source of machinery. These things count in the long run more than the standing army.—From the Philadelphia Ledger.

## Cold Weather

And Milk Output

If Cows are Well Fed They Can Stand Considerable Exposure to Weather  
Experiments carried out in recent years show that the falling-off in milk supply from cows during the winter months is not as great as is generally supposed. When cows are well fed and comfortable, they can stand a great deal of cold weather. The experiments showed that cows which were kept in comfortable quarters and well fed, produced more milk in the winter than those which were kept in open sheds and poorly fed. The experiments also showed that cows which were kept in comfortable quarters and well fed, could stand a great deal of cold weather without any loss of milk.

"The next year this increased to 1,946 miles, while last year the total was \$7,000,710. In 1915, the total tonnage was approximately 36,000. In 1915 no less than 18,262 men, 12,345 women, and 9,213 children attended, while last year the totals were 8,445 men, 5,210 women and 9,213 children."

Mr. Motherwell stated that the total cost of operating the trains in 1914 was \$7,000,710. In 1915, the total cost was \$7,487,222. The College of Agriculture, he stated further, furnished a large number of exhibits including a car of mechanical appliances. The college also supplied a large number of exhibits, including a car of mechanical appliances. The college also supplied a large number of exhibits, including a car of mechanical appliances.

Mr. Motherwell also stated that the railway companies interested supplied the rolling stock and operated the trains free of charge.

## Submarines and the U. S.

Visit of Merchant Ship Now Believed to Have Had Submarine Motive

Viewed in the light of subsequent events, may not the visit of the German submarine U-53 to Newport last October have had an ulterior motive behind the obvious one? Was this demonstration of the effectiveness of the submarine weapon three thousand miles from the German coast intended as a menace? Did Germany wish us to realize the danger to ourselves if we interfered with her campaign of frightfulness? That may well be. The visit of the U-53 to Newport was a bold move, one which forced a break in diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany. It was a move which had been previous act had been. This invasion of Belgium was an integral part of the German campaign of frightfulness. It was a move which forced a break in diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany. It was a move which had been previous act had been. This invasion of Belgium was an integral part of the German campaign of frightfulness.

## Alberta Exporting Timothy Seed

An important industry that has been established in Alberta is the export of timothy seed for export. Last year the province exported over 200,000 bushels of the seed, the result being the securing of a revenue of \$175,000 to the farmers of the province. It is estimated that the straw was used locally for fodder.

Previously the Dominion has imported timothy seed, but it should not be long before this province will be a large exporter of the seed. The province has a large area of land suitable for the growing of timothy, and it is estimated that the province will be a large exporter of the seed.

Nurse—Oh, dear, ma'am, the baby has just swallowed that whole paper.

Mr. Suffrage—How unfortunate! Now I will be obliged to put up all the suffrage posters with glue—Puck.

## Heirlooms of Drake

British Sailors and Soldiers Find an Inspiration in Name of Famous Sea Fighter

A great memory of a name illustrious in great Eliza's days is revived by the will of Sir Francis Drake of Devon, who bequeathed as heirlooms two cups and two jewels given by Queen Elizabeth to the Admiral whose name he bore, together with the Bible and the sword of the "doughty sea-fighter." When Drake's will was opened, the "Golden Hind" came back to Plymouth in September, 1580, after circumnavigating the globe laden with treasure-trove. Elizabeth decreed that the ship should be preserved for all time as a memorial of England's glory enhanced by the intrepid commander. But "envious time" rotted away the timbers, and the ship was wrecked in a century later remains. No tangible souvenir is needed for him who prayed when he first saw the Pacific that he "might sail once in an English ship." The sea-fighter fulfilled his dream; who sailed into the harbor of Cadiz and "singed the King of Spain's beard." He won a game of bowls with a duke. Howard, eyeing the wrecking of the Armada, saying, "There's plenty of time to win the game of the Spaniards." The pages of Hakluyt preserve of Drake, but in the ears of the men of Devon, the name of the "doughty sea-fighter" is reverberating still, and his deeds are inspiring. He has found an inspiration in his name—Philadelphia Ledger.

## Better Farming Trains

Are Inspected by Large Number of the People in Saskatchewan

Some interesting facts and figures were brought to the attention of the Saskatchewan legislature last week by Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, in reply to questions asked by Mr. J. L. A. Moran, with respect to the Better Farming trains.

Leitch asked the number of places visited by the Better Farming trains, the mileage covered, the number of people who attended, and the cost of the trains in the years 1915-16, the total cost of operating the trains during those years, the assistance received from the College of Agriculture in connection with the trains, and the number of the railways in operating the trains.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell replied that the Better Farming trains in 1914-15, 1915, and 1916, in 1914 the mileage covered was 1,946 miles, while last year the total was \$7,000,710. In 1915, the total tonnage was approximately 36,000. In 1915 no less than 18,262 men, 12,345 women, and 9,213 children attended, while last year the totals were 8,445 men, 5,210 women and 9,213 children."

Mr. Motherwell stated that the total cost of operating the trains in 1914 was \$7,000,710. In 1915, the total cost was \$7,487,222. The College of Agriculture, he stated further, furnished a large number of exhibits including a car of mechanical appliances. The college also supplied a large number of exhibits, including a car of mechanical appliances.

Mr. Motherwell also stated that the railway companies interested supplied the rolling stock and operated the trains free of charge.

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## Opening in Alberta For Pulp Industry

Market of Western States Presents Great Opportunity Says Edmonton Expert

"In Alberta conditions are exceedingly favorable for the establishment of pulp mills," says A. J. Cantin, electrical engineer of Edmonton, in an article published in the Paper Trade Journal of New York. "The home trade is quite extensive and the neighboring provinces offer a good market, as we could compete favorably with eastern and British Columbia manufacturers. The freight rates are in our favor. Then, again, we have a market in the northwestern States which should prove very profitable, as there are no pulp mills in Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, North Dakota, South Dakota and Nebraska. The total capacity of pulp mills is not over 150,000 tons per year west of the Mississippi river."

"We have the raw material in unlimited quantities. Our rivers offer outlets for cheap and unequaled anywhere west of Winnipeg. The labor should offer no unusual problems. The cost of raw material, immigrants coming to this western country, who are from city and industry, is no longer a problem in farming, and who are looking for work of some kind. From this class of immigrants the pulp mills could draw their supply of laborers."

"Labor should be plentiful in this province since 1901. At that date what is now Alberta had a population of 191,000. In 1911 the population had increased to over 360,000, and in the census taken in July, 1916, it is estimated that the population of the province had increased to over 550,000. In 1912 and 1913 it was estimated that over fifty per cent. of the population were living in the rural towns. This percentage is altogether too high for an agricultural province, and labor should be a minimum quantity in Alberta."

"Alberta has an area of 223,283 square miles, nearly equal to the state of Texas. About 10 per cent. is occupied by lakes and rivers, of the balance about 30 per cent. is in prairie, and the balance is in forest country and heavy timber. It has been estimated that there is over 1,000,000 cords of pulpwood in the province; of this approximately 20 per cent. is in poplar, 15 per cent. in tamarac, and the balance in other species of spruce of fair size."

"This is enough to insure a plentiful supply for years to come, no matter how many mills are put in operation in the near future. All this timber will have access to the railroads. We have three transcontinental railways, which offer good shipping facilities for the export of pulp to the United States, Asia and Europe."

"The power available in Alberta is the most abundant in the world. The chemical wood pulp mills alone, would furnish enough power to manufacture paper for the whole of western Canada and that part of the United States lying west of the Mississippi river. According to Mr. Finckh, former Chief of United States Forestry, he estimated in 1914 that at the present rate of cutting the stand of spruce in the State of Maine would be exhausted in less than thirty years. New Brunswick has less than ten years, Wisconsin has no reserve and manufacturers are being forced to look to the United States for their supply of raw material."

"While spruce is the predominant wood in Alberta, there is a large quantity of aspen, and a small quantity of poplar. This poplar should prove quite an attraction to those contemplating the manufacture of the better quality of paper, such as used in books and magazines."

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The Squire stood watching her miserably, wishing he could have borne the grief for her. Now and again he spoke to her as though he soothed a child. At the moment he had hardly more consciousness about it than if she had been a child. He had not realized altogether that his feeling for Dolly Egerton was come to be something very different from

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what he had given Mary Champneys. For the moment there was no passion in his feelings for the girl, who was crying at though her heart were broken.

"You poor little thing!" he said, with a tender hand on her golden hair. "You poor child."

Outside the garden barked in the June sunlight. The leaves danced in the south wind. The bee buzzed in the heart of the rose; a bed of pink gave out a spicy fragrance. Through the opening in the private hedge the sunshiny lawn beyond showed a little white-clad figure toddling, with uncertain feet.

"Come, my dear," he said, with a hand on Dolly's shoulder. "I see little Susan is looking for you. She is coming this way."

Dolly made a spasmodic effort to dry her tears. Half-blindly she let him lead her down the path, by the verobous border. Susan had begun to emit small sounds of distress. "Dolly, where are you?" It was quite an adventure for Susan to have sought out Dolly. Apparently she was in haste. She had probably seen the Squire from her window, and was apprehensive of being caught.

A sharp note of recall came upon Susan. "I must apologize for coming in this way—truding on time which must be valuable." The Squire smiled, and said, "I am not at all offended. I have called earlier in the day."

"Don't apologize. I should have been at the hospital or visiting patients at another hour. I am only afraid you may be tired."

He bent back in his chair and waited for the Squire to speak. He looked what he was in his profession, a stout, well-built man, with a good deal of hair, and a friendly expression. His clean-shaven face, with the commanding nose, the searching eyes, was a study in itself.

He stood up after a pause with an air of saying that since his visit was over he would not. The two tall men faced each other in the room

conch by the wall. Though there were several people in the room, there was a silence only broken by the ticking of a clock.

The place got on his nerves. He began to wonder what the other waiting people in the room had to tell the doctor. There was a smell of disinfectants, of antiseptics in the room. He remembered his hospital days. His soldiering days. How far away they were! He felt that he was growing old.

One by one those who waited with him were summoned to the surgeon's consulting room. He himself passed in and the door closed behind him. At last it was his turn. He, too, was beckoned by the manservant and passed through the door which was the gate of life or death to many who took that way.

The surgeon was bending over his case book, writing some observations when the Squire came in. He looked up. The light was strong in the room despite the blinds half way down, almost reaching the bristly curtains below. Mr. Langton recognized his visitor.

"You do not come to consult me professionally. Won't you take a seat?"

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smelling of chemicals, which the sunray, piercing under the blinds, made full of dusty notes. They were both tall men, equal adversaries, as they stood and faced each other.

"You wished to see me—?"

"The Squire, never very eloquent, found a difficulty in beginning. When he spoke it was to the point. It is about Lady South. Where is she?"

"By what right do you ask?"

"The right of an old friend. Lady South and her daughter are dear and honored friends of mine."

"The Squire walked to the chimney-piece, picked up a cigarette, lit it, and came back."

"I am very sorry I cannot tell you," he said.

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"You know where she is?"

"Certainly! I know where she is. She has given me no permission to reveal her address. She is with her daughter. I am sorry I can say no more."

"The Squire's face darkened. His eyes suddenly blazed."

"You know that a lady does not tell the circumstances of the circumstances in which Lady South left her without provoking comment—gossip, if you will. He brought out the words with a jerk."

"I am very sorry. If there had been any other way she would have taken."

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## Money Spent by Tourists

C. P. R. Formulating Plans to Induce Tourists to Visit Western Canada

According to figures compiled by Canadian Pacific Railway officials, 10 per cent. of the money spent by tourists of the various boards of trade in Western Canada will co-operate with the railway officials to bring this additional revenue to the west. Plans to induce American tourists to visit the various tourist resorts in Canada do not seem to be complete.

The Board of trade members will distribute literature, which is now being given away in the form of a booklet, to all Canadian pleasure resorts.

All tourists travelling through Western Canada will be taken over lines which go through the most attractive scenic spots of the west. It is made to impress upon the tourists the advantages Western Canada offers to them.

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## PERSONALS.

**Well-known Women.**  
 Chatham, Ont.—"I was sick for about four years. Got very weak, could not eat to amount to anything. I got very thin and had no strength at all. I was very much discouraged at times—thought I was never going to get better. I could not walk a block without feeling all tired-out."

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should have resumed our peaceful  
occupations. But in the meantime we  
had to learn that we gravely underes-  
timated the English as a nation. We  
know now that our real enemy sits  
upon the islands, and that he will  
ruthlessly employ every means to  
bring us to the ground. The English  
will fill all gaps and store up new  
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and for curative and testimonials  
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Small Boy (to wounded Tommy in  
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tle excitement would buck you up,  
my scooter is always at your ser-  
vice."—Windsor Magazine.

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tues of Mother Graves' Worm Ex-  
terminator always have it at hand,  
because it proves its value.

## No Doubt About That

"What! Paid \$50 for a hat, Woman,  
are you mad?"  
"No; but it's plain to be seen that  
you are."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

## The Horse's Shoulders

When the spring work begins it is  
high time to give the horse's shoulders  
proper attention. To work a  
horse with a sore shoulder is barbarous.  
The collar should fit so that it can  
easily get the hand between the  
bottom of it and the horse's throat.  
If it is too large it will be sure to  
make the neck sore, and if too small  
it will choke when the horse pulls.  
Never use a pad under a collar so as  
to make it fit; a pad keeps all air  
out from under the collar and the  
shoulders soon sear in hot weather.  
The first thing to do when going to  
work a colt is to see whether there  
is a collar to fit him. If not, go and  
buy one.

## Pa's Interpretation

"Pa, what does it mean about  
riches having wings?"  
"It means beware of taking fliers  
in the stock market, my son."

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hard and soft soap, for  
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ing, disinfecting and for over  
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The United States government ex-  
periments to develop leather from  
shark and other fish skins are reported  
to be progressing satisfactorily.  
In addition to the skins of sharks  
experiments were made with the  
skins of such fish as cod, hake, group-  
er and sturgeon.

## SICKLY BABIES

Sickly babies—little ones who are  
troubled with their stomachs, bowels;  
whose teething is painful; dig-  
estion bad and who cannot sleep  
well—can be made happy and con-  
tent with Baby's Own Tablets.  
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for constipation and vomiting and am  
well pleased with the result." The  
Tablets are sold by medicine dealers  
or by mail at 25 cents a box from  
The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co.,  
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## Careless Hero

The Morning Caller.—You you ze  
man vot safe mine little boy from  
drowning yesterday?  
The Rescuer.—I am, I am.  
The Morning Caller.—Zen vher's  
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The Poor Man's Friend.—Put up in  
small bottles that are easily portable  
and sold for a very small sum. Dr.  
Thomas' Electric Oil possesses more  
power in concentrated form than one  
hundred times the quantity of many  
unagents. Its cheapness and the var-  
ied uses to which it can be put make  
it the poor man's friend. No dealer's  
stock is complete without it.

## Never Can Tell

He.—Do you think your father  
would consent to my marrying you?  
She.—He might. Father's so eccen-  
tric.

Minard's Liniment for Sale Every-  
where.

## No Peace for Him

Willie was out walking with his  
mother when she thought she saw a  
boy on the other side of the street  
making faces at her darling. "Is that  
horrid boy making faces at you?"  
"He is," replied Willie, giving his  
coat a tug. "Now, mother, don't start  
any peace talk; you just hold my coat  
for about five minutes."—Exchange.

## Canning Whale Meat

Flesh of the Whale Now Being In-  
troduced to the American Table.  
Fresh whale meat is being sold in  
the markets at Los Angeles, while at  
Long Beach a fish cannery is prepar-  
ing and packing it for general con-  
sumption. This is the first time, so  
far as can be learned, that the flesh  
of the whale has been introduced for  
the American table. In Japan, how-  
ever, it forms an important part of  
the diet for the poorer classes, and in  
New Zealand large quantities of it  
are canned for South Sea Islanders.  
A humpback whale will yield as much  
as 80,000 lbs. of meat, in addition to  
blubber, oil, and bone. The flesh is  
of coarse grain, and when prepared  
has a distinctive flavor that is some-  
what similar to that of venison. But  
besides being palatable, 98 per cent.  
of the material it contains is digest-  
ible, a ratio that is 7 per cent higher  
than ordinary beef. The advection  
which persons in this country usually  
manifest when attempts are made  
to encourage the consumption of  
things known domestically but not  
popularly looked upon as foods, has  
been experienced in California  
with whale meat. A few weeks ago  
five tons of the meat was retailed in  
Los Angeles at 14 cents a pound.

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Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is  
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remedies. Where this not so it  
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a reputation founded in the hearts of  
thousands who have known its bene-  
fit.

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Doctor.—You must give up all  
sweet things.  
Patient.—Good heavens, doctor,  
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Severe Dry, Irritated Throat With Parmit  
Syrup. Says This Old-Fashioned  
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is no more regular epidemic of coughs at  
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this and add to it a quart of pint of  
hot water and a half of ground sugar,  
stir until dissolved. Take 1 tablespoonful  
four times a day. No oil, taking your  
whole body with a cough. Clogged nostrils  
should open, air passages of your head should  
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Over thirty million feet of lumber  
board measure, were exported from  
the province of British Columbia  
during the year 1916, according to  
the Industrial Progress and Com-  
mercial Record. Of this, 1,800,000  
feet went to Australia, 124,000 feet to  
New Zealand, 10,000,000 feet to Great  
Britain, 11,500,000 feet to South Afri-  
ca, 2,600,000 feet to Japan, 52,000,000  
feet to China, 40,000 feet to Siberia,  
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When off colour suspect your liver. But  
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For Sale.—Pure Bred White Wyandotte Eggs, 5c. each; also 7 Pure Bred White Wyandotte Cock-crels \$1.00 each. G. M. Ferry, Crossfield.

For Sale.—A quantity of Lumber that was bought to build a house. Apply Cockill and Gunn, Crossfield.

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## Red Cross Notes.

The Red Cross acknowledge with thanks the following donations and work.

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Work: Inverlea, 20 T bandages, 6 M.-T. bandages.

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Mrs. Dungan, 5 pillow slips.

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Wilson, 1 suit shirt.

Wicks, 1 suit pyjamas.

Horrieks, 4 pillow slips.

Hall, 10 T Bandages and 2 M.-T. bandages.

A. R. Thomas, 1 pair socks.

Ontkes, 3 T bandages.

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Davis, 6 trian. bandages.

The Red Cross Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. McIntosh this week, and next week with Mrs. Gimmel.

The Travelling of Stallions Lowers  
Lowers Their Virility

Crossfield, Alberta,

May 3rd, 1917,

I have with my experience and close observation come to the conclusion that a stallion to do his best work must be in a natural state, there are not one natural facts, but experiences of breeders and results of many stallions. And how can you keep a stallion in this state? Can it be done by travelling him all week all over the country, and have him surrounded with different environments and probably eat every meal at a different and strange place? I should say not.

When I first heard of people travelling stallions I thought they meant during the racing season. But being interested, by questions, I soon found out. I have been used to stallions and horses all my life, and to keep his environment all the same all the time, as near as possible and have the hares go to the stallion instead of him going to the mares has been my experience. In the States they think nothing of going from five to ten miles with mares, and get a good percentage of good strong colts, and I believe when they do away with the travelling of heavy stallions especially, it will benefit the owners of stallions and mares.

Kind breeder when you have tried with the travelling stallion and failed, try a horse that did not travel. Give us a mare and see if she won't get in-foal the first service.

Yours for better business,  
CARSON BROS.

## LOST.

\$5.00 REWARD

LOST.—On Tuesday, the 24th April, in the afternoon train from Calgary, on In Crossfield, a CAMEO BANGLE. Finder please leave at the Chronicle Office, Crossfield.

LOST.—Since Sunday last, a Boston Brindle BULLDOG, marked with a white stripe in face. Anyone found harbouring this dog after this notice will be prosecuted. Any information leading to the recovery, to be given at the Alberta Hotel, Crossfield, and receive Reward.

## LORIN

[1833]

## Black Fercheron

Copy of Pedigree recorded in the Canadian Fercheron Stud Book.

Black, Star; foaled May 12th, 1909; bred by E. J. Wicks, Kingsville, Ont., second owner D. K. Pike, Crossfield, Alta.

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## Public Notice

## Village of Crossfield.

## NOTICE TO RESIDENTS.

All Riprayers, Tenants or Occupiers, within the limits of the Village of Crossfield, are hereby notified to have all the Rubbish, Filth, Manure, Ashes, Garbage or any other articles or substances of a like kind removed from the premises occupied by them, and from one half the street, lane or alley adjacent thereto or from any vacant lot where such rubbish, etc., may have been deposited previous to the Nineteenth day of May, 1917.

An Inspector will visit all premises on or before that date and any person not complying with the above conditions of the Health By-law will be prosecuted.

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Dr. D. WILLIAMS,  
Health Officer.

## Boy Wanted

Wanted, a BOY over 15 years of age, to assist in the Crossfield Barber Shop on Saturdays.—Apply at City Barbers.

## For Sale

For Sale. Two 2-year old Stallions Your choice for \$250.  
Thomas Amery.

## Lost.—Cow.

Lost.—One Purebred Roan COW. Branded triangle on right ribs. Reward for information.  
YULE & ROWES, Carstairs.

## Strayed

Strayed from my place 3/4 mile east of Carstairs, Two COLTS, rising two years, one Grey GELDING, some white on face and hind legs, another Dark Bay FILLY. Branded P H on right shoulder.

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